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Agenda item 6
Adoption of the report

Draft report

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Organization of the session

A. Opening and duration of the session

1. The Open-ended Working Group on Ageing held its second working session at United Nations Headquarters from 1 to 4 August 2011. The Working Group held ___ meetings.

2. The session was opened by the Chair of the Working Group, Jorge Martín Argüello (Argentina), who made a statement.

B. Attendance

3. The session was attended by representatives of ____ States Members of the United Nations. Representatives of organizations of the United Nations system and observers for intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations also attended. A list of participants is available from http://social.un.org/ageing-working-group/secondsession.shtml.

C. Election of officers

4. Pursuant to rule 103 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly, the Working Group, at the 1st meeting of its second working session, on 1 August, elected Ervin Nina (Albania) as Vice-Chair, by acclamation.

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D. Agenda and organization of work

5. At the 1st meeting of its second working session, on 1 August, the Working Group agreed to the previously adopted provisional agenda for its working sessions, as contained in document A/AC.278/2011/3. The agenda read as follows:

1. Election of the Bureau.
2. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters.
3. Participation of non-governmental organizations in the work of the Open-ended Working Group on Ageing.
4. Existing international framework on the human rights of older persons and identification of existing gaps at the international level.
5. Other matters.
6. Adoption of the report.

6. At the same meeting, the Working Group approved the proposed organization of work for its second working session, as set out in an informal paper, in English only.

E. Participation of non-governmental organizations in the work of the Open-ended Working Group on Ageing

7. At the 1st meeting of its second working session, the Working Group decided to grant accreditation to the following non-governmental organizations to participate in its work:

Action solidaire pour un développement entretenu à la base (Togo)

Age Concern Ukraine (Ukraine)

Age UK (United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland)

Aging Safely Inc. (United States of America)

Alzheimer's Disease International (United Kingdom)

AMD Alliance International (United Kingdom)

American Federation for Aging Research (United States)

Associação Nacional dos Membros do Ministério Público de Defesa dos Direitos dos Idosos e Pessoas com Deficiência (Brazil)

Benetas (Australia)

Beth Johnson Foundation (United Kingdom)

Campaign for Human Rights and Development Sierra Leone (Sierra Leone)

Council on the Ageing Australia (Australia)

Council on the Ageing (South Australia) Inc. (Australia)

Council on the Ageing Victoria (Australia)

DaneAge Association (Denmark)

Dementia S.A. (South Africa)

Development, Welfare and Research Foundation (India)

Fiji Council of Social Services (Fiji)

Fundashon Nos Grandinan (Netherlands)

Geriatric Centre Nepal (Nepal)

Janaseva Foundation (India)

Jewish Association for Services for the Aged (United States)

National Academy of Elder Law Attorneys (United States)

Regional Centre for the Welfare of Ageing Persons in Cameroon (Cameroon)

Regional Public Foundation Assistance for the Elderly "Dobroe Delo" (Russian Federation)

Silver Inning Foundation (India)

Volunteers of America Inc. (United States)

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F. Existing international framework on the human rights of older persons and identification of existing gaps at the international level

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G. Adoption of the report on the organizational session

8. At its ____ meeting, on ____ August, the Working Group adopted the draft report on its second working session, as contained in document A/AC.278/2011/L.4.

9. At the same meeting, the Working Group was informed that the Chair's summary of the key points of the session would be finalized at a later stage by the Secretariat in collaboration with the Bureau.

H. Documentation

10. The list of documents before the Working Group at its second working session is available from http://social.un.org/ageing-working-group/secondsession.shtml.